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SUBJECT: ANTITRUST ACTION: MOORE CORP., LTD.

1. FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION (FTC) HAS JUST INFORMED
DEPARTMENT THAT IT HAS INITIATED A PRELIMINARY INVESTI-
GATION INTO THE ACTIVITIES OF MOORE CORPORATION, LIMITED,

330 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, TORONTO, AND ITS U.S. SUBSIDIARIES,
MOORE BUSINESS FORMS, INCORPORATED, AS THESE ACTIVITIES
AFFECT U.S. COMMERCE. FTC PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATION IS
TO DETERMINE IF MOORE CORP. HAS VIOLATED SECTION 5 OF
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THE FTC ACT. INVESTIGATION DOES NOT IN ITSELF IMPLY THAT

U.S. LAW HAS BEEN VIOLATED OR THAT A SUBSEQUENT LEGAL
CASE WILL BE FILED.

2. ACTION: PURSUANT TO OECD RECOMMENDATIONS, EMBASSY
IS REQUESTED TO NOTIFY THE APPROPRIATE GOC AGENCY OF THIS
IMPENDING INVESTIGATION AND TO REPORT TO DEPARTMENT
ANY CANADIAN GOVERNMENT REACTION. KISSINGER

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